INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

	Application Number		09576038	
	Filing Date		2000-05-23	
	First Named Inventor	Mark	Sean Hefty	
	Art Unit		2444	
	Examiner Name	Than	h T.Nguyen	
	Attorney Docket Number		P8193	

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

Please see 37	CFR 1.97	and '	1.98 to	make th	e appro	priate s	election(s	5):

That each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information sideclosure statement. See 37 CFF 1.97(e)(1).

OR

That no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patient office in a counterpart freeign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signifie the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.55(c) more than three months prior to the films of the information disclosure.

- statement. See 37 ČFR 1.97(e)(2).

 See attached certification statement.
- Fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17 (p) has been submitted herewith.
- _ ..

SIGNATURE

A signature of the applicant or representative is required in accordance with CFR 1.33, 10.18. Please see CFR 1.4(d) for the form of the signature.

Name/Print	Christopher K Gagne	Registration Number	36,142
Oigitature	rollistopilei K. Gaglie, Reg. No. 30,142	Date (1111-WW-DD)	2009-04-23

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentially is governed by \$5.0 LS. 0.12 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 1 hour to complete, including gathering, preparing and submitting the completed application from to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Operatment of Commence, P.O. Box 1456, Alexandria, V.A. 2331-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1459, Alexandria, V.A. 2311-1450.

Privacy Act Statement

The Privacy Act of 1974 (P. L. 93-579) requires that you be given certain information in connection with your submission of the attached form related to a patient application or patient. Accordingly, pursuant to the requirements of the Act, places be advised that: (1) the general authority for the collection of this information is SU.S.C. (2)(2)(2) furnishing of the information solicited to sculturary, and (5) the primoral purpose for which the information is used by the U.S. Patient and Trademan KOTICs is to information, the U.S. Patient and Trademan KOTICs may not be able to process and/or examine your submission, which may result in fermination of proceedings or abandoment of the application or experients of the patient.

The information provided by you in this form will be subject to the following routine uses:

- The information on this form will be treated confidentially to the extent allowed under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. 552) and the Privacy Act (5 U.S.C. 552a). Records from this system of records may bisclosed to the Department of Justice to determine whether the Freedom of Information Act requires disclosure of these records.
 - A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, in the course of presenting evidence to a court, magistrate, or administrative tribunal, including disclosures to opposing counsel in the course of settlement necolations.
 - A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Member of Congress submitting a request involving an individual, to whom the record pertains, when the individual has requested assistance from the Member with respect to the subject matter of the record.
 - A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a contractor of the Agency having need for the information in order to perform a contract. Recipients of information shall be required to comply with the requirements of the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(m).
 - A record related to an International Application filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty in this system of records
 may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the International Bureau of the World Intellectual Property Organization, pursuant
 to the Patent Cooperation Treaty.
 - A record in this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to another federal agency for purposes of National Security review (35 U.S.C. 181) and for review pursuant to the Atomic Energy Act (42 U.S.C. 218(c)).
 - 7. A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the Administrator, General Services, or hisher designee, during an inspection of records conducted by GSAs a part of that agency's responsibility to recommend improvements in records management practices and programs, under authority of 4d U.S.C. 2904 and 2906. Such disclosure shall be made in accordance with the GSA regulations powering inspection of records for this purpose, and any other relevant (i.e., GSA or Commerce) directive. Such disclosure shall not be used to make determinations about individuals.
- A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to the public after either publication of the application pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 12(b) or issuance of a patent pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 151. Further, a record may be disclosed, subject to the limitations of 37 CFR 1.14, as a routine use, to the public if the record was filed in an application which became abandomed or in which the proceedings were terminated and which application is referenced by either a published application, an application port to public insepticens or an issued patent.
 - A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Federal, State, or local law enforcement agency, if the USPTO becomes aware of a violation or potential violation of law or regulation.